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## CLEARVIEW RESERVE CHARDONNAY 2023



\$48.99

### Iconic NZ Chardonnay



Product Code:	4742	Closure:	Screw Cap
Country:	New Zealand	Unit:	Each
Region:	Hawkes Bay	Volume:	750ml
Sub Region:	Te Awanga	Alcohol:	14.0%
Style:	White	Grape:	100% Chardonnay
Variety:	Chardonnay		



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## TASTING NOTES

**Selected for the Top 12 Hawke's Bay Annual Chardonnay Collection 2023 - Cameron Douglas MS**

A classic New Zealand Chardonnay done just the way you like it...

### Winery notes (2023 Vintage)

"A classic Clearview Estate Reserve Chardonnay of power & sophistication. Stylish with power & complexity, mealy with stonefruit, ripe tropical flavours & substantial body. Drink now for a fruit driven style or cellar until 2029."

Reviews for previous vintages below...

### 5 Stars Michael Cooper (2021 Vintage)

"For his premium Chardonnay label, winemaker Tim Turvey aims for a 'big, grunty, upfront' style – and hits the target with ease. It's typically a hedonist's delight – an arrestingly bold, intense, savoury, mealy, complex wine with layers of flavour. Hand-picked from mature vines at Te Awanga, it is fermented and matured in French oak casks (typically 40 to 50 per cent new). Already enjoyable, the 2021 vintage is a bright, light yellow/green, fresh, mouthfilling wine, with rich, vibrant, stonefruit flavours, slightly toasty and buttery notes adding complexity, and a very finely balanced, lengthy finish. Best drinking 2025+."

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## **5 Stars & 96/100 Bob Campbell MW, The Real Review, February 2022** (2020 Vintage)

"A classic and much-decorated chardonnay style with tree fruit, peach, citrus and grapefruit nicely balanced by nutty oak and barrel fermentation characters. A delicious wine with subtle power demonstrated by a lingering finish."

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## **Rated Outstanding & 96/100 Cameron Douglas MS, April 2022** (2020 Vintage)

"A captivating and complex wine with a bouquet of mineral then layers of lees and fine oak scents, there's complexity and detail with some pure fruit drive - fresh white and yellow peach baked nectarine and sweet grapefruit. I really like the texture and core of fruit with this wine, the flavours of citrus and peach, some fine raw cashew nut from the oak have a positive impact and lasting impact. Fantastic length and persistency, a wine for the cellar or immediate drinking."

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## **5 Stars & 96/100 Sam Kim, Wine Orbit, November 2020** (2019 Vintage)

"Combining opulence and grace, this stunning chardonnay shows grilled peach, fig, vanilla and cedar characters on the nose with nuances of grapefruit and gun smoke. The impressively concentrated palate exhibits outstanding intensity and complexity, superbly enhanced by velvety texture and beautifully pitched acidity. A complete package with loads of delicious flavours. At its best: 2022 to 2032."

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## **95/100 Mike Bennie, The Wine Front, January 2021** (2019 Vintage)

"Pitch perfect midway perfume of ripe citrus, stone fruit, vanilla cream. Yummo. In the zone. Feels fancy from first whiff. Supple, lush texture, rolls soft and long, gently palate staining, ripe fruit a feature, so too nutty notes, light honeyed characters and finishes with this delightful, lightly salty-refreshing tickle. So even, so well made, so polished; so well done. Great chardonnay."

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